

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in this Application:

Claim Listing:

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1. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
an elongated rail base;
at least one rail formed at a top surface of said elongated rail base;
a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said at least one rail; and
a portion of at said least one rail being formed of a first material which provides an attractive cling charge to film-plastic wrap received over said at least one rail for attracting said film-plastic wrap to said at least one rail and clinging said film-plastic wrap to said at least one rail before and after cutting of said film-plastic wrap.
2. (cancelled).
3. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 where said first material has a grade of shore A.
4. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said first material is non-porous.
5. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said first material is smooth.
6. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said elongated rail base is formed of a second material of rigid vinyl or PVC.
7. (original) The apparatus of claim 6 wherein said first material is coextruded with said second material.
8. (currently amended) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said first material is formed of a material having a durometer-hardness of greater than about 1.
9. (currently amended) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said first material is formed of a material having a durometer-hardness in the range of 2 to 200.
10. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said first material is selected from the group consisting of plastic, rubber, vinyl, acrylic, polyvinyl chloride, glass, silicon, metal and combinations thereof.

11. (previously amended) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein a channel is formed in said elongated rail base below a pair of said at least one rail, said blade housing being formed of an upper portion and a lower portion, said upper portion of said blade housing houses said blade, and said lower portion of said blade housing slidably moving in said channel.

12. (original) The apparatus of claim 11 wherein a bottom edge of said upper portion of said blade housing protrudes on either end from said blade and an end surface of said upper portion of said blade housing being rounded and inclined upwardly and from either end of said bottom edge.

13. (original) The apparatus of claim 11 wherein said lower portion is formed of a tracking device for slidably moving in said channel.

CI 14. (original) The apparatus of claim 13 wherein said tracking device is formed of a tubular base and said channel having a corresponding tubular shape.

15. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said blade housing is formed of a flexible material.

16. (original) The apparatus of claim 15 wherein said blade housing is formed of acetal or silicon.

17. (previously amended) The apparatus of claim 1 further comprising an adhesive layer adhered to said elongated rail base on a surface opposite of said at least one rail.

18. (original) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein a channel is formed in said elongated rail base below a pair of said at least one rail and further comprising a protrusion extending in said channel at either end of said channel.

19. (previously amended) The apparatus of claim 18 wherein said blade housing is formed of an upper portion and a lower portion, said upper portion of said blade housing houses said blade, said lower portion of said blade housing slidably moving in said channel, wherein said lower portion of said blade housing snap fits into said protrusion.

20. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
at least one rail;

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said at least one rail; and

a portion of said at least one rail being formed of a first material which provides an attractive cling ~~charge to film-plastic wrap~~ received over said at least one rail for attracting said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said at least one rail and clinging said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said at least one rail before and after cutting of said ~~film-plastic wrap~~.

21. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
at least one rail;

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said at least one rail;

C1 a portion of said at least one rail being formed of a first material which provides an attractive cling ~~charge to film-plastic wrap~~ received over said at least one rail for attracting said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said at least one rail and clinging said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said at least one rail before and after cutting of said ~~film-plastic wrap~~; and

an adhesive layer adhered to said elongated rail base on a surface opposite of said at least one rail.

22. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
an elongated rail base;

a pair of rails formed at a top surface of said elongated rail base;

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said rails; and

a portion of said rails being formed of a first material which provides an attractive cling ~~charge to film-plastic wrap~~ received over said rails for attracting said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said rails and clinging said ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said rails before and after cutting of said ~~film-plastic wrap~~.

23. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
an elongated rail base;

a pair of rails formed at a top surface of said elongated rail base;

a portion of said rails being formed of a first material which provides an attractive cling ~~charge to film-plastic wrap~~ received over said rails for attracting ~~film-plastic wrap~~ to said rails

and clinging said ~~film~~ plastic wrap to said rails before and after cutting of said ~~film~~ plastic wrap; and

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said rails, said blade housing is formed of an upper portion and a lower portion, said upper portion of said blade housing houses said blade, said lower portion of said blade housing slidably moving in said channel.

24. (Cancelled).

25. (Cancelled).

26. (Cancelled).

27. (Cancelled).

28. (Cancelled).

29. (Cancelled).

30. (Cancelled).

31. (Cancelled).

32. (Cancelled).

33. (Cancelled).

34. (Cancelled).

35. (Currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
at least one rail;

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said rails; and

a portion of at least one of said rails being formed of a first material having cling adhesion properties adapted for attracting ~~film~~ plastic wrap to said rails.

36. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
at least one rail;

a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said at least one rail;

a portion of said at least one rail being formed of a first material having attractive properties adapted for attracting ~~film~~ said plastic wrap to said at least one rail and clinging said ~~film~~ plastic wrap to said at least one rail before and after cutting of said ~~film~~ plastic wrap; and
an adhesive layer adhered to said ~~elongated rail base~~ on a surface opposite of said at least one rail.

37. (currently amended) A film cutter apparatus for cutting plastic wrap comprising:
an elongated rail base;

a pair of rails formed at a top surface of said elongated rail base;

a portion of at least one of said rails being formed of a first material having adhesion cling properties adapted for attracting ~~film~~ plastic wrap to said portion and clinging said ~~film~~ plastic wrap to said portion before and after cutting of said ~~film~~ plastic wrap; and

C1 a blade housing for housing a blade, said blade housing bilaterally slidable along said rails, said blade housing is formed of an upper portion and a lower portion, said upper portion of said blade housing houses said blade, said lower portion of said blade housing slidably movable in said channel.

38. (previously amended) A method of forming a film cutter apparatus comprising:
molding an elongated rail base;

molding a pair of rails;

attaching said rails at a top surface of said elongated rail base, wherein a portion of said rails being formed of a material having attractive cling properties for attracting film to said rails and clinging said film to said rails before and after cutting of said film.

39. (previously amended) The method of claim 38 wherein said step of molding an elongated rail base and said step of molding a pair of rails are performed simultaneously by coextrusion for attaching said rails to said elongated rail base.

40. (New) A method for cutting a plastic wrap comprising
an elongated rail base;

receiving said plastic wrap over at least one rail formed at a top surface of an elongated rail base;

clinging said plastic wrap to said at least one rail; said at least one rail is formed of a material which provides an attractive cling to said received plastic wrap for cling of said plastic wrap to said rails;

cutting said plastic wrap with a blade, said blade being housed in a blade housing, said blade housing being bilaterally slidable along said at least one rail wherein said plastic wrap clings to said rails before and after cutting of said plastic wrap.

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41. (New) The method of claim 40 when said first material has a grade of shore A.
 42. (New) The method of claim 40 wherein said first material is non-porous.
 43. (New) The method of claim 40 wherein said first material is smooth.
 44. (New) The method of claim 40 wherein said first material is selected from the group consisting of plastic, rubber, vinyl, acrylic, polyvinyl chloride, glass, silicon, metal and combinations thereof.
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